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SENATOR COORDSEN: Thank you, Madam President, members of the body. You may remember LB 113 from last week. This was the issue of the effort to recover sales tax on items that had been purchased from outside the state of Nebraska by Nebraska residents and brought into the state for consumption. LB 113A, then, is the General Fund appropriation to accomplish that, and this is an appropriation in the amount of \$93,095 for the 97-98 fiscal year, and \$83,690 for the 98-99 fiscal year. I would move the advancement of LB 113A, Madam President.

SENATOR CROSBY: Thank you, Senator Coordsen. Any discussion on 113A? Seeing none. Senator Coordsen waives closing. The question is the advancement of LB 113A to E & R Initial. All in favor vote aye. Opposed no. We're voting on the advancement of LB 113A. Have you all voted? Record, please.

CLERK: 25 ayes, 0 nays, Madam President, on the advancement of 113A.

SENATOR CROSBY: (LB) 113A advances. (LB) 118A.

CLERK: (LB) 118A by Senator Janssen. (Read title.) It was introduced on January 28 of this year, referred directly to General File.

SENATOR CROSBY: Senator Janssen.

SENATOR JANSSEN: Thank you, Madam Speaker, members. LB 118A is just...is a simple A bill which would require that \$6,500 would be appropriated in the years 1997-98, and \$5,500 to be appropriated the next year from the Education Innovation Fund for the purpose of administrating the minigrants created under LB 118. The money would be used for revising a rule, printing costs, and additional reviewing time of the grants. On the other side of that, there would be a little relief from the existing grants. So...but this would be...this is what the fund thought that the cost was going to be on (LB) 118, and I thank you for the advancement.

SENATOR CROSBY: Thank you, Senator Janssen. Any discussion on LB 118A? Seeing none. Senator Janssen, did you want to close?